



Department of Energy

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April 10, 2003

In reply refer to: C-4

Mr. Franklin L. Smith
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RE: FOIA Request #03-023

Dear Mr. Smith:

Thank you for the letter of April 2, 2003. In your letter, you request the following:

1. Copies of any and all documents produced in response to any Freedom of Information Act requests of the Grant County P.U.D. and/or its attorney, David Sonn of Jeffers, Danielson, Sonn & Aylward.
2. Copies of any and all documents, including correspondence, memos, emails, graphs, charts, etc., from and to the Grant County P.U. D. from the Bonneville Power Administration concerning the BA and Grant County utility lines located at the Vernita Crossing.
3. Any and all documents, reports, memos, computer runs, notes, charts and graphs that provide a basis for determining the number, type and extent of all aircraft flying low-level missions (below 500 feet AGL) under the supervision of Bonneville Power Administration, along, or near, the Columbia River, and/or within a 20 mile radius of the crossing of the Columbia and the Vernita Bridge. You also note that your request is intended to encompass all low-level flight activity from any O BPA supervised flights, including the Bureau of Land Management, Fish and Wildlife, U.S. Geological Survey, etc. Your request is intended to encompass low-level flight activities for all years commencing from 1990 to the present.

Your request was received by our office on April 10, 2003 and has been logged in as FOIA #03-023.

You have agreed to pay for costs up to \$100 and asked that if costs for your request exceed \$100, that we call you before proceeding.

Mr. Alan Courts, Vice President, Engineering and Technical Services, has been designated as Authorizing Official for your request. Mr. Courts has 20 working days, until May 7, 2003, to provide a response. Should you have any questions she may be reached at Mail Stop TN-OPP-3 or by calling 360-619-6731.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Annie Eissler".

Annie Eissler
Freedom of Information Officer